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Federal Election Commission
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To Whom It May Concern:

The purpose of this letter is to request an investigation into the conduct of the John McCann for Congress committee (P.O. Box 1010, Hackensack, NJ 07602/ Ralph A. Contini, Treasurer/ FEC #COO661637), the principal campaign committee of John J. McCann, Jr. (FEC #H8NJ05136).

As stated on the enclosed invitation, a February 21st fundraising event, billed as a "Meet & Greet in honor of John McCann, Candidate for Congress" is being "Paid for by Michael Strada for Sheriff." Non-FEC state campaign funds are being used to pay for an FEC-covered expenditure ("a thing of value") on behalf of an FEC-regulated committee.

As such, the McCann for Congress campaign may be in violation of Federal Election Commission rules. The campaign may be unlawfully using non-federal campaign committee dollars to pay for a federal fundraiser. Specifically, the campaign may be in violation of the following federal laws: 11CFR102.1, 11CFR300.61, 11CFR 102.5(a) 11CFR102.5(b), 11CFR110.1(b), 11CFR102.1(c), 11CFR104.12, 11CFR100.5(a), 11CFR100.5(c), 11CFR 102.1(d), as well as FEC Advisory Opinions 2003-29 1997-20, 1990-16 1982-38.

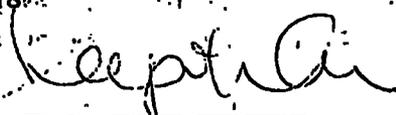
I trust the commission will review this complaint thoroughly and take all necessary and appropriate remedial actions concerning the John McCann for Congress campaign.

Sincerely,



William Cerone

Sworn to and subscribed before me, notary public, commissioned and qualified in the State of New Jersey, on the 23rd day of February, 2018.



POH'IM LEE
Notary Public - State of New Jersey
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